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## ASK BOARD OF SUPERVISORS FOR ACTION

**Grayslake is Holding Up the Completion of Route 21 BRIDGE IS DELAYED**

Delegations of officials and property owners from Lake Villa and Antioch, numbering close to 100, appeared Tuesday a. m. at the meeting of the supervisors and asked for prompt action in bringing pressure to bear to open up the full length of Route 21 to Wisconsin. A small patch of road through Grayslake is still in dispute with the property owners figuring on two routes and the state impatient to start the work.

The road is a state aid road and is completed or under contract except for the patch near Grayslake. It is set forth that the Grayslake folks have been disputing the path of the road and have held up completion of the route.

F. Hamlin, Lake Villa and Frank King, Antioch, heading the delegations, spoke Tuesday morning in favor of taking prompt action to force the Grayslake people to a decision.

Supervisor Brown of Grayslake assured the board that the matter is to be settled Friday. Grayslake owners have picked out two routes. They will go to Springfield Friday and present their choice to the state. It is assured that the route as it affects Grayslake is to be fixed.

It was urged that the board spur the Grayslake property owners in a resolution or appoint a committee to have the state authorities do it.

County Clerk Lew Hendee declared that while he and others were in Springfield two weeks ago, Governor Small declared he was anxious to have the route completed and that the highway department had made it plain it will take them "only five minutes" to force action if necessary.

The route from Halfday to Rollins and from Rollins to the state line is already under contract. Grayslake and Fremont still remain undecided.

Grayslake folks favored a route which included a grade crossing and this the state would not consider.

A meeting of the interested parties in the bridge proposition over the Soo Line railroad, was held Thursday at Lake Villa. Those present were Mr. Frank Hamlin, Mr. Lamb, representing the state; Mr. McCredie, representing the Soo Line; Mr. Russell, representing the county; Mr. Harry Stratton of Lake Villa, and B. F. Nabor and Frank King of Antioch.

Facts brought out at the meeting showed that an overhead bridge on the present road would cost well over \$10,000, and as the state and Soo Line would have to pay for this on a 60-40 basis the Soo Line objected to this amount. The other proposition was a bridge over the railroad at a point 300 or 400 yards north of the present crossing, where a natural approach would reduce the cost of a bridge to \$55,000, and as this is part of the E. J. Lehmann estate it required his consent to a right of way.

Friday the same group, with the exception of Mr. Nabor, met in Mr. Lehmann's office in Chicago and the matter was put up to him. He said he would consider it and would gladly give the right of way for the bridge providing it did not interfere with the plans of the estate.

Mr. Lehmann went over the proposed right of way Saturday with a state man but the swing of the curve required made such an inroad into the estate that Mr. Lehmann said that he could not possibly consider it.

This leaves the building of the bridge over the present route up to the state and the railroad to thrash out. As the matter now stands, it looks like a long drawn out fight for the bridge with the gap in the road to remain as it is, and as the state will refuse to take over the road until it is completed it looks as if the county will have to scratch for their money.

Those who are trying to push the project through to completion have not given up hope yet, and have intimated that possibly Mr. Lehmann may be able to solve the problem for them.

## 20 Years Ago in Antioch

Thursday, March 12, 1903

L. H. Grice was transacting business in Chicago Tuesday.

Ira Simons of Chicago visited with friends here over Sunday.

Chase Webb was transacting business in the windy city Tuesday.

John Turner of Chicago spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Turner.

Miss Hattie Schilke of Lake Villa spent Sunday with her parents and other Antioch friends.

Supervisor A. N. Tiffany is attending a meeting of the board of supervisors at Waukegan this week.

Harry Smith and Lew Folbrich of Channel Lake were Chicago passengers Tuesday morning.

Will Pitman left on Tuesday evening for a hotel, Wis., where he expects to spend some time with his brother Frank.

Miss Gertrude Peck returned to her home in Evanston on Saturday after spending a pleasant three weeks with her friend, Miss Libbie Webb.

John Didama, who has been at Withee, Wis., for some time, arrived here last week and will probably remain during the summer.

Herbert Pierce of Shields spent Sunday and Monday with his family here.

Charles Kelly moved this week to the Rector farm north of town, recently purchased by him.

The committee having in charge the funds of the dance given for the benefit of Percy Dibble, report that after all bills had been paid they have a net balance of \$90.

## FRANK T. FOWLER'S HOLSTEINS CAPTURE HIGH STATE HONORS

Lake County wins highest milk and butter honors to the report of the State Cow Testing Association covering all breeds announces the University of Illinois.

In the "Honor List for January" just issued, Frank T. Fowler of Lake Villa not only owns the highest record cow and herd in Lake County pure bred Holsteins, but has the highest record cow in the state and loses first place on his entire herd for butterfat by less than 3 of a pound.

Rose Christina Mercedes who freshened December 12, is the state's highest cow in both milk and butterfat. This great cow on Sunday last (26th) gave 96 lbs. milk, nearly 47 quarts. Thirty-one days after calving she gave 98.8 lbs. She averaged over 90 lbs. day in February. It looks now as if she will make over 1000 butter in one year, her record made last year being 943 lbs. and 21000 lbs. of milk. There are less than fifteen 1000 lb. cows in Illinois. Rose Christina made 120.75 lbs. in January, and has equalled the same rate for February.

A two year old heifer owned by Mr. Fowler, Mountain Ash Pontiac Jewell, sired by the first son of the highest price cow ever sold, Pabst Kernyde Cornflower (sold for \$30,000, to Fred Pabst of Oconomowoc) is now giving over 40 lbs. daily (19 quarts) although she freshened May second last. She with two of her sisters are running on yearly test.

The Lake County Cow Testing Association through Russell Olsen of Grayslake its President urges all the herd owners to become members.

## "THE GARDEN OF THE SHAH" AT HIGH SCHOOL POSTPONED

You can't put a good thing down—Three weeks vacation gave the high school chorus a chance to gather fresh enthusiasm for a striking performance of "The Garden of the Shah." The date only has been postponed due to the illness of three of the characters in the main cast, but don't forget that it's coming. Put aside the money now. Give the whole family a big treat; they have been shut up a long time and they need some fun.

## THIRTEEN HEAD OF CATTLE AT WILLETT FARM AUCTION

Thirteen head of cattle will be offered for sale at the auction sale to be conducted by Fred and Lee Willett on the Channel Lake road, 3 1/2 miles west of Antioch on Tuesday, March 13. Also a number of chickens and some farm machinery will be sold. The sale will start at 1 o'clock, and the auctioneering will be in charge of George Vogel.



## W. F. SHILLING TALKS TO MILK MEN AT WILMOT

Over 250 farmers gathered at the Wilmot gymnasium Monday night to take advantage of the opportunity to hear W. F. Schilling of Northfield, Minn., the president of the Twin City Milk Producer's Association, tell them what 100 percent cooperation on the part of the farmers in his locality had meant to them in cold hard cash, by the direct method of handling and marketing their own products.

Mr. Schilling has spoken on the marketing situation all over the United States and he is a very able and convincing talker. He had helped in carrying out the cooperative plan to a successful culmination in his own community and strongly advocated a 100 percent signing of the new contracts now being offered by the Marketing Company here. He strongly urged the farmers to organize to a man, provide a place to care for their milk, demand their rights and stick until they obtained them.

The speaker told how the farmers of Northfield community are now receiving \$2.75 per hundred for their milk on their own weights and tests, while our farmers are selling their product on the dealers weights and tests for \$2.40 per hundred at their present time.

Following the talk by Mr. Schilling an open meeting with A. C. Stoen in charge was held. Mr. Schilling spoke on the same subject to a gathering of interested farmers at Bristol on Tuesday night, and at Union, Ill., Wednesday night and speaks and Hebron Thursday night.

The meeting at Wilmot was opened with community singing under the direction of Miss Porter and Mrs. A. Hlenfeldt. The U. F. H. S. band gave a number of selections, with Clarence Wright conducting.

A large delegation of farmers from Grayslake, Antioch, Wheatland, New Munster, Bassett and Silver Lake attended the meeting at Wilmot.

## DO YOU WANT TO WIN A BEDSPREAD?

At the showing of Miss Gloria Swanson in "Her Glided Cage" at the Majestic Theater, Antioch, next Sunday evening, March 11th, there will be given away a beautiful bedspread on which Miss Swanson has personally embroidered her first name, "Gloria." This bedspread has been secured by considerable effort by Mr. Oliver Johnson, manager of the Majestic Theater in Chicago and Mr. Johnson says, he is very desirous of having this bedspread stay in an Antioch home, in fact he said if he could he would sure like to keep it for himself.

The only rule to the contest is that you must purchase an adult ticket to see Miss Swanson in "Her Glided Cage," and you will secure your ticket for the drawing. Will we keep it in Antioch? Award will be made at the close of the first show.

## "GREAT MINDS SEPARATE"

"What do you immediately think of when you hear the word mint?" asked the famous psychologist. "Money!" exclaimed the New Yorker. "Julop," murmured the old Southerner.

## Just Among Ourselves

Wanted—A village president, three members for a village board and a treasurer to handle the village dough.

Looks like a pretty slim election next Tuesday. No names on the ballot, no prospects of any candidates, no nothing.

Five hundred lives lost in fire. Such was the case Tuesday morning when Frank Klog's hen house burned. The poor chicks.

If Harold Lloyd had seen J. Wilson McGee at the fire he would have been jealous. "Mac" had a hat that resembled a husel basket and it kept him busy keeping it from coming down over his eyes. He had to hold the hat in one hand and in the other hand he carried a large nozzle around trying to find a hose to put it on. When the fire was out he still had both hat and nozzle.

One Year Ago Today (On Main street)—Up to the hubs in mud.

Otto Klass' vacation must be about over. His trunk arrived about two weeks ago, but no Otto. We don't know whether he was lost en route or decided to walk back from Texas.

Some people believe spring is due when they see robins, others when the grid organ man arrives and still others when the kids start shooting marbles, but when we see Reeves arrange his display of new wallpaper patterns we know spring has come.

## Freight Trains in Smashup at Area Station

Twenty-five box cars were wrecked on the Soo Line railroad, south of the Area station following a crash of two long freight trains at 12:15 o'clock last Thursday afternoon. Five hundred feet of track was torn up by the trains, and a brakeman, Frank Hobert of Fond du Lac, Wis., was badly injured. He received a broken right leg and bruises about the head.

The accident occurred just south of the station. A mixup in orders is believed to be the reason for the crash. A long freight train was standing on the main line facing south, while another came speeding south around the bend that obstructs the view.

The train was going at a fast rate of speed and could not stop. It ploughed through the other train and knocked the cars into kindling wood. The engine slipped off the tracks and down an embankment, but remained right side up. Had it turned over the fireman and engineer would probably have been killed.

Fire which started immediately after the crash threatened to wipe out both trains. A rush call for the Area fire department brought enough hose to subdue the flames before the cars were destroyed.

The injured brakeman was riding the cars at the time of the wreck and was caught in the smashup. As soon as help arrived he was extricated and rushed to the drug store of H. A. Watson. There his bruises and broken leg were attended to and the injured man was taken to the Lake county hospital.

Officials of the Soo Line railroad launched a probe to determine the cause of the disastrous wreck. The train dispatcher will be required to explain why the two trains were running so close together. It is charged that the trains left Grayslake, a few miles from the scene of the wreck, barely five minutes apart.

## AUCTION SALE AT LAPLANT FARM ON MARCH 14TH

There will be an auction sale on the Sol Laplant farm, located on South Main street, Antioch, on Wednesday, March 14. Nine head of cattle will be sold. A quantity of alfalfa and timothy hay will also be placed on sale. The sale will start at 1 o'clock, and W. J. Chinn will be the auctioneer.

## NO CAUCUS

The annual caucus of Township candidates for election is a thing of the past in Antioch. Those seeking the township offices must file a petition with the township clerk in the future. The time limit for petitions this spring expires March 19.

## DEPOT STREET TO BE PAVED TO SOO LINE

**Village Board Puts Through Ordinance at Meeting Tuesday Night**

## PROPOSE AUTO TAX

At the meeting of the village board Tuesday night an ordinance was read and approved for the improvement of Depot street from the west side of the Soo Line right of way to Main street. The estimate given amounts to a little over \$17,000.

The board had under discussion the question of a vehicle tax. An estimate of 153 pleasure cars and 43 trucks was given as possible taxable vehicles by one of the board members and stated that revenue that could be raised from this tax would amount to almost \$1,000 a year. This would be a great help for the maintenance of the streets and should meet with approval.

L. B. Congdon brought up the matter of giving the marshal power of arrest on sight. This matter is already under consideration by the board.

## Chicks Perish As Hen House Is Burned

Fire partially destroyed the hen house of Frank King's early Tuesday morning. The fire started about 1:30 and was put out to short order by the fire department after what seemed considerable delay in getting the hose into play.

About one-half of the hen house is completely destroyed with a loss of about 500 chickens.

The fire was discovered by Mrs. King, who gave the alarm.

## NOMINATE ACHEN FOR SUPERVISOR IN WAUKEGAN

Merrill J. Achen, new entrant into politics, swept through the organized forces of George H. Bairstow, for years one of the strongest forces in the political field there, and won the nomination for supervisor of Waukegan township, defeating also Arnold T. (Duke) Nolan.

For assistant supervisor M. P. Diller exceeded even his strength in former political battles, being highest among 13 candidates, getting more than one-third of the total number of votes cast. The other successful candidates for assistant supervisor were John T. Hoban, John W. Swanbrough, David A. Hutton and Andrew Eflanger.

## At the Woman's Club

The Woman's Club, released from quarantine regulations, held its regular meeting in the library Monday, March 5th. Like the kiddies every one was glad for the privilege of once more getting together and the afternoon was a happy occasion for all present.

A few minor details of business were taken care of and the remainder of the time was given to a program especially prepared for that date by Mrs. Lenora Hughes.

Since the organization of the club many excellent programs have been given, but this one given by Mrs. Hughes, "The Music of the Nations," has never been surpassed.

So poor a scribe lacking both musical education and newspaper space cannot attempt a review of a subject so well presented as was this. To do so would be but to paint the lily, but ask the opinion of any woman who heard it.

Around the table and over the tea cups a program outlining a plan of the work and entertainment to be undertaken by the Woman's Club next year was mapped out which promises to make next year the banner year for the club.

A woman's club in any community is a power for good. Because of its cosmopolitan organization it occupies a distinctive position representing as it does the actual life of the community.



## Local and Social Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Thompson of Chicago visited at the home of Mrs. Thompson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Kuhaupf, over Saturday and Sunday.

There was a very good attendance at both the services at the Methodist church last Sunday. Rev. Pollock, former pastor of the church here, had charge of the services as Rev. Mumford was quarantined at his home on account of the illness of his two sons.

Dr. Leisher of Waukegan was an Antioch caller on Monday of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Johnstons of Chicago visited at the James Stearns home last Sunday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. Pollock of Palatine are now nicely settled in their home on North Main street.

Miss Anna Dudley of Mexico, Mo., sister of Mrs. J. W. McGee, who has been taking care of Francis McGee, who had scarlet fever, is now at the Mumford home helping care for the Rev. Mumford, who is ill with a severe case of tonsillitis, but at present is on the gain.

Mrs. Charles Alvers and son Robert visited in Chicago several days last week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Selzer left Wednesday for a three weeks' trip to New Orleans.

Dr. Warriner was a Chicago passenger Tuesday morning.

Mr. Pollock spent several days this week at Palatine.

Mrs. Hugh Carney and Mrs. Delbert Rogan of Libertyville visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dunn on Monday and Tuesday of this week.

Miss Lucy Sowles of Grayslake visited at the home of Mrs. Sarah Pullen and Mrs. Clara Cook last Wednesday. The youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Klog is sick with scarlet fever and the home is under quarantine.

The scarlet fever quarantine on the Andrew Dalgard home was lifted last Friday.

Mrs. A. G. Watson visited her mother at Waukegan a few days the latter part of last week.

Free—\$15 Worth of Silk Hose—Free To those holding first 10 numbers drawn: For particulars, see display window at Chicago Footwear Co.

## CAUCUS NOTICE

The township committeemen, which consists of George White, Elmer Brook and Frank Kennedy, hereby announce that there will be no caucuses in the future, and all candidates for township offices this spring must file petition for candidacy with Charles F. Richards, township clerk, on or before March 19, 1923.



The Thimble Bee will meet at the Methodist church on Thursday afternoon of this week.

Miss Esther Olsen gave a reading last Thursday night at the Drake Hotel, Chicago. It was novelty night there and the program was broadcast over the radio.

Charles Alvers visited over the week end in Kenosha with Mrs. Ben Fischer.

The truck carrying the hose to the fire at the Frank Klog fire Monday night ran over William Story's leg, bruising it quite badly.

Mrs. William Rhymer motored to Waukegan last Friday.

The little child of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Derkin of Dering farm No. 2 has been very sick for several days.

Mr. Paul Vlezens has been quite ill the past week.

B. F. Nabor is quite ill and confined to his bed.

Mrs. Mary Marshall, who has been at the Lake County General hospital for some time, is much improved and left the hospital two weeks ago, spending the time with Grayslake friends and this week she is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Straghan.

There will be a meeting of the Antioch Hillside Cemetery association at the home of Mr. Charles Kelly on Monday evening, March 12, at 7:30 o'clock. All that are interested in the cemetery are urged to be present. By order of the president.

## NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS

Ernest Shon will collect taxes for Antioch Township beginning Saturday, March 10th, at the Brook State Bank, during banking hours. 27w1

If you can't be present Saturday night at 8 o'clock, the winning numbers will be posted in the window all next week at the Chicago Footwear Company.

Mrs. D. D. Campbell returned home the first of the week after a few days visit with her daughters in Chicago. C. E. Blunt, who has been spending the winter months at Detroit, Mich., with his daughter, returned to his home here last Wednesday.

Mrs. Joseph Willie, who has been quite sick the past week, is at present on the gain.

Charley Stickles, who has been working in Chicago for several months, returned to his home here last week. He was not feeling well when he came home.

Mrs. Hannah Edmonds has been on the sick list for the past four weeks with the quinsy. At present she is some better.

Dr. Luttermann's office will be closed until the 10th of March.

Mrs. Joseph Horion has been on the sick list the past few days.

Leo Middendorff and Roy Murrio motored to Waukegan on Tuesday to attend a meeting of the Standard Oil Company.

Leo Middendorff motored to Chicago Saturday afternoon.

Gordon Wells is working for Dr. Jensen.

Mr. Selner of Grass Lake was taken to the German American hospital in Chicago last Saturday afternoon for treatment.

Miss Gladys Panowski and Mr. Lumber of the Lyceum course at the gymnasium Friday night. Their program was well received by a very attentive audience.

Walter Carey and daughter Blanche spent Friday in Kenosha.

Mr. and Mrs. Hansen have both been ill the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Peterson and children of Kenosha were out for the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Reynolds.

Mrs. G. Faulkner entertained for a number of friends on Wednesday.

Little Kopplach has been home for several days from Milwaukee because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Higgins and daughter Kermit Schreck of Kenosha spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Faulkner.

Mr. and Mrs. Higgins moved their household goods into the flat over the C. Shotcliff store the first of the week.

Mrs. B. Belle of Spring Grove was guest of Mrs. Dowell on Saturday.

Mrs. L. M. Wright has recovered from a very severe attack of the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Murphy and children and Mrs. C. Wright spent Sunday in Kenosha.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sutcliffe and children from Chicago are now living in the house recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Schram.

Violet Beck was out from Racine after the week end.

Mr. Ihlenfeldt and Mr. E. Vincent were in Kenosha Saturday.

Mrs. Ganz returned from Chicago Monday after a visit of several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Richards.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sutcliffe and children and Mr. and Mrs. Schram and daughter spent Sunday at Salem with Mr. and Mrs. Bodga.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Nett have been ill and under the care of Raymond of Camp Lake.

The Misses Carey were in Burlington Thursday.

County Agent Williams was at the F. H. school on Monday last.

Margaret Madden was ill with flu the past week.

Walter's Wrigglers of Wilmet defeated the Dewey Hardware Co.'s in a game of Kenosha Sunday afternoon.

The two teams were evenly matched and each fought hard. Wilmet took the lead and held it through the game. Roy Richter and Red Garity of the Wrigglers were high scorers. The first half ended 22-10.

Wilmet in the lead. Roy Richter forced to leave the game on account of injury.

## QUEEN OF CARNIVAL



Miss Aletta Turner, who has been elected, by an overwhelming majority, as queen of the carnival in Mobile, Ala.

## OVERPRODUCTION

The quickness with which we can flood the market to our own disadvantage has been shown during the past month in the Chicago dairy district. You can travel all day through the district without finding a farmer who will admit that \$2.50 a hundred pays him for the cost of producing milk.

Yet so soon as the January price fixed at \$2.50 than nearly everyone began to buy feed and cows. Feed dealers sold more feed in a few days than they had in months before. Cows were fed for the largest possible production, and the demand for additional cows forced the price up out of sight. Chicago was flooded with milk, and if the farmers' marketing company were out of the way the market would speedily go to pieces. When a small advance in price stimulates production like that, no wonder the public smiles and crosses its fingers when it complains that we are producing at a loss!—Prairie Farmer.

## Bashful But Not Lost

A drummer was "making" Ottawa, Kansas, from Wichita one day when he suddenly realized that he was off his main road. Not being able to find his way again he drew his car up to a farmhouse and inquired for the main road of a bashful farmer boy who loitered there. The following uncomfortable situation developed: "Which is the way to Ottawa, my lad?"

"I don't know."

"Which is the way to Topeka?"

"I don't know."

"Well, can you tell me how to get back to Wichita, then?"

"I don't know."

By this time the drummer was quite impatient and said to the boy: "Say, you don't know very much, do you?" to which the lad retorted: "No! But-but I ain't lost!"—Judge.

## Motorizing the Language

A little girl from the city had been visiting in the country, and was being questioned as to what kind of a time she had. Finally someone said, "I bet you don't even know how to call a cow."

"Bet I do," she said.

She was pressed for particulars and explained: "You take the cow into your barn and give her some breakfast food and water and then you call her crankcase."

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## WOULD HIRE COUNTY

**VETERINARIAN**  
George White of Antioch, chairman of the committee appointed by the Lake County Farm Bureau to fight for the eradication of tuberculosis among the cattle and swine of Lake county, appeared before the board of supervisors at Waukegan Tuesday afternoon and asked the board to appropriate \$5,000 for the employment of a county veterinarian.

Some phases concerning the legality of such an appropriation will have to be gone into and the matter was put over until it can be further looked into.

As a prize for the township killing the largest number of gophers, Linden township won a pure-bred Holstein bull given by Cavalier county, N. Dakota, in its 1922 gopher campaign, according to reports to the United States department of agriculture. The gophers were well cleaned up, saving the county 410,000 bushels of grain on a conservative estimate, and every farmer in Linden township has the privilege of breeding to the bull for a small fee charged to help defray the expense of keeping him. The prize promises to be of much benefit to the dairy industry of the township.

The commercial production of apples is estimated to have been about 15 percent of the total crop in 1922, compared with about 20 percent in 1921, according to the United States department of agriculture.

The six states leading in potato production in 1922 are Minnesota, Wisconsin, Michigan, New York, Pennsylvania and Maine, according to the United States department of agriculture. In 1921 the six leading states ranked as follows: Maine, New York, Minnesota, Michigan, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin.

The Australian tomato weevil has been found by the United States Department of agriculture to be established at a number of points along the coast of Mississippi in addition to the previous inland infestation. It is now reported from five distinct places in Harrison county, two in Stone county, and one in Jackson county. This indicates that the original introduction occurred presumably at an earlier date than was heretofore supposed.

Try a News Want Ad

## BOUNTIFUL

MacDonald, late of the A. B. F. and still yearning for adventure, had bled himself to one of the South Sea Isles and there taken unto himself a native bride. Unfortunately the dusky beauty's mother elected herself one of the party and Mac had been unable to shake her off during the honeymoon.

The loving couple were passing through the forest, closely attended by the older lady, when a large, ripe coconut fell, bouncing neatly off the head of the uninvited chaperon and sending her to bye-bye. MacDonald watched the occurrence with interest and then, squeezing the girl tightly, whispered:

"Dearest, ain't Nature grand?"

## NO OPPOSITION

Mr. Mokeby (applying alone): "Ah wants to get a marriage license."

Clerk: "Where's the bride-elect?"

Mr. Mokeby: "What ye-all mean elect? Dey wasn't no lecture a-tall. De lady done appointed herself to de office at mah own pussional request."

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## CRYSTAL

HOME OF THE BEST

2 DAYS—Fri. and Sat., March 9-10—2 DAYS

## "THE SILENT CALL"

The Greatest outdoor picture ever shown and featuring Strongheart, the greatest dog in the world. Also Harry Sweet comedy Adm. 17-33

Sunday, March 11

## "Without Limit"

George D. Baker's master production of the gamble of life and love. News and Comedy Adm. 15-25

Wednesday, March 14

RICHARD BARTHELMLESS in

## "The 7th Day"

A romance of the deep seas Maw and Paw, a Sennett Comedy Adm. 15-25

Coming Friday and Saturday, March 16-17, Norma Talmadge in the drama magnificent, "THE ETERNAL FLAME," and assisted by Conway Tearle.

March 10th  
Lotus Brand  
Pure Lard  
12½¢ per lb.  
Any Quantity  
Antioch Packing Co.  
Both Markets

## MAJESTIC

The Majestic Theater has taken every precaution from the recent epidemic and have had the theater thoroughly fumigated.

Saturday, March 10th

THOMAS MEIGHAN in

## "If You Believe It, It Is So"

Can you imagine Tommy as a crook? The soul-stirring story of a fallen man's battle for love and happiness.

Comedy—"One Stormy Night" Adm. 25-10

Sunday, March 11th

GLORIA SWANSON in

## "Her Gilded Cage"

Who will win the bedspread on which Miss Swanson has personally embroidered her first name? Your admission entitles you to a chance. Gloria Swanson as the dancing sensation of Paris and Broadway. The brilliant cast includes David Powell, Harrison Ford and Walter Hiers.

Comedy—"Stolen Glory" Adm. 33-15

Wednesday, March 14th

## "WHILE SATAN SLEEPS"

JACK HOLT and FRITZI BRUNETTE (From the story by Peter B. Kyne)

Thrilling Heart gripping. Real—You can't sit unmoved and see this picture. You'll never forgive yourself if you miss it. "Life isn't in holding good cards, but in playing a bad hand well."

Comedy—"Toonerville Trolley Skippers Flirtation."

Coming Soon—Rodolph Valentina in "The Young Rajah," also "Manslaughter."



# FARM BUREAU NEWS

## THE FARM BUREAU

**IN WASHINGTON**  
The Senate on Monday passed over the butter standard and the truth-in-fabric bills. Upon the motion of Senator Edwin F. Ladd of North Dakota the ship subsidy bill was laid aside by a vote of 44 to 42 and the Volstead bill was discussed.

The House bank and currency committee completed hearings on the Capper live stock financing bill. Farm interests, including the American Farm Bureau federation, urged the House banking and currency committee to report on the Lenroot-Anderson intermediate credit bill.

The Farm Bloc in the House, headed by Representative Dowell of Iowa, started a drive on the house committee to force immediate action on the Lenroot-Anderson bill.

The house rules committee, Phil Campbell chairman, refused by a vote of 0 to 3 to give the house an opportunity to vote on the Henry Ford offer to lease the dam and fertilizer plants at Muscle Shoals.

Both House and Senate committees passed out on the floor price fixing and grain-stabilizing bills by Sinclair, Little and Christopherson.

Agricultural appropriation conference report finally agreed to by both house and senate.

Reorganization of administrative departments plan finally transmitted by President Harding to the joint congressional committee. The bureau of roads may be transferred from department of agriculture to interior.

Mortgage bankers ask that tax free accruals be prohibited.

The administration, urged on by President Harding, continues to fight in the senate for the passage of the ship subsidy bill. Senator Wesley L. Jones forces night sessions. The filibuster continues.

Fight on Norbeck-Streng bill to amend the federal farm loan act becomes hot. Anderson of Minnesota is sustained in motion to strike out section 5 providing for appointment of loan agents by the 12 farm loan banks who could make loans direct and start local cooperative associations. House agent several days on the bill, which was passed with \$10,000 loan limit. It is generally understood that the conferees will accept the \$25,000 limit.

The house immigration committee is understood to have said that immigration is too great a subject to place before Congress in its closing hours, especially since existing restrictions must remain in force until June 30, 1924.

The credit situation is extremely tense. A move is on to substitute the Lenroot-Anderson bill for the Capper bill on the floor of the house.

## A GOOD RETURN ON

### \$15.00 INVESTMENT

Many of the most valuable accomplishments of the farm bureau are results achieved in an indirect way. Perhaps many of the indirect accomplishments are of more value than a direct return of dollars and cents.

For example—President Harding has recently appointed Milo D. Campbell, an active farmer of Michigan, as a member of the federal reserve board. The President's appointment as chairman of the board is D. S. Crisinger of Ohio, a farm owner.

The federal reserve board has prob-

ably the greatest influence in America on economic conditions. Ever since this board decided on the big dollar movement of 1919 and 1920, farmers have felt that they should have a representative sitting in the deliberations of this body. Bankers should direct banks just as farmers operate farms. But in the fixing of banking policies which directly affect farmers, why shouldn't a farmer be present to look after the farmer's interest?

There you have it. The influence of the organized farmer has placed a farmer (a good one) on the federal reserve board. When it becomes necessary to raise the discount rates in the future, a farmer will be present to look after farmers' interests.

## SPEND YOUR WINTER DAYS

### CULLING SEED CORN

The proper place to begin culling seed corn is in the field, in the early fall. However, field selections alone, even though the ears be taken from standing stalks, is hardly sufficient in itself. The farmer who expects to get an exceptionally high grade lot of seed should make a careful physical examination of this field selected seed and eliminate that which does not meet certain requirements. Corn to be examined should be spread out on a table in a well lighted room but not in direct sunlight. Artificial light is not satisfactory. The only safe light is daylight. Ear characteristics alone are not final proof of desirable seed. Certain types of ear, however, are undesirable and should be discarded without further waste of time.

### Method of Selection

A satisfactory procedure is, first to examine the ears for firmness and indentation. Very tough ears are frequently chaffy and weak. Ears to pass the test should be heavy and solid or firm. Next examine the shanks, which are dark brown and those which are brown with black bundles (or "black spots") are objectionable. Ears which have good shanks are those which broke off smoothly and are silky while in appearance. The luster or polish of these ears which remain should be studied carefully. Performance of corn on the germulators and its subsequent production in the field has shown that those ears which are bright, rather fresh and oily in appearance are in the great majority of cases the best seed ears. Ears which are dull or old looking and have no luster should be eliminated. The kernels of each of the ears which have successfully passed the above tests should now be carefully examined. Desirable kernels are those which are of medium depth rather hard, horny or flinty in composition, thick, plump, bright and lustrous. Those ears which have starchy, narrow, thin, pitted, very deep or shallow kernels should be culled out.

### Germulation Test Necessary

The vitality of a sample of corn can only be ascertained by the germulation test. Certain characters may be enumerated as evidences of vitality but must not be understood to be only approximations. These kernels which are most likely to give strong, vigorous, healthy seedlings are clean, bright, oily or lustrous in appearance, have large plump germs, show little or no shrinkage at the tip of the kernel near the cob and break out clean

and bright, retaining the tip cap. Kernels with shrunken, shriveled or bleached and discolored germs and those which are plucked or pointed at the tip and showing space between kernels at the cob are undesirable—J. C. Hinkleman, U. I.

The adviser is glad to help any one pick out seed corn. Attention is called to the special seed corn meetings, March 12, Wauconda high school, 1:30 p. m.; March 12, Prairie View, 7:30 p. m.; March 13, Rosecrans, 1:30; March 13, Antioch, 7:30 p. m.; March 14, Ivanhoe, 1:30 p. m.; March 14, Gurnee, 7:30 p. m.

Bring samples of seed corn to these meetings.

## WINTER TOUR AN

### INTERESTING ONE

A good lively time from start to finish, that is what those who went out on the livestock tour last Friday enjoyed. The only thing the matter with these kind of winter affairs is that we do not have enough of them. Even if the weather was cold that morning it was a fine opportunity to observe the practical livestock housing, care and feeding. Some of the cars were decorated in fancy style so that everybody who saw us knew that the farm bureau was doing something as usual.

We started out at J. W. Cooper's, who had a fine lot of Duroc-Jersey hogs to show us, including some thirty young pigs. We found out that the real hog man at the Cooper place was Douglas, as all questions of breeding, etc., was referred to him. Also the two new hogs purchased by Cooper at the Chesney farm sale did not look any better than Mr. Cooper's own stock.

The Reimers' Poultry plant at Long Grove, impressed everyone with its business like efficiency, clean, well lighted, well arranged laying pens, and high production. During the latter part of January Mr. Reimers was getting 200 dozen eggs per week. There was no overcrowding in any of the pens and the arrangement of self feeders, waterers, etc., to keep everything clean was noted. Many were interested in the new 14,000 egg electric incubator.

From there we went to Arthur Berghorn's Holstein herd. Mr. Berghorn had his cows all dressed up for the occasion. His herd of 13 or 20 cows averaged 12,000 lbs milk last year. He is only one of the men who keeps his herd free from T. B. and has some very business like large cows in good flesh.

We got to Wauconda a little late for dinner but the domestic science girls furnished a fine lunch together with plenty of music. Mr. Mann of the Producers' Livestock Commission Co. gave a very interesting address showing the striking success which these producers' firms have made. That is one of the branches of cooperative marketing which has proved very successful. George White of Antioch explained the area plan of T. B. testing. After this lively program we went to John Wirtz' Chester White farm near Ivanhoe. Everybody was interested in the excellent results Mr. Wirtz has had in breeding Chester White hogs.

We then visited the R. F. Rouse farm where he is feeding 67 head of Angus and Galloway beef calves. These calves were all doing fine and gave prospects of some excellent baby beef by next summer. This was something new and created lots of interest. Some of the ladies especially wanted to know what kind of curly cows these were. The feeding of good calves like these is a branch of the livestock farming that mere Lake County farmers should look into.

At the Rouse Bros. farm a lot of interest was shown in the good ventilation system and it was noted that air in their dairy which was full of cattle, was quite pure and sweet. Their dairy herd was much admired also. We were also much interested in a flock of sheep, 11 ewes of which had already produced 16 healthy, thrifty lambs.

The outlook for the sheep business is certainly very encouraging for the present time.

The tour closed up for the afternoon with a stop at W. I. Wood's poultry plant. We were very much interested in the type of poultry house he had, methods of feeding, etc.

Farmers who did not make this tour missed a good thing. Such affairs make a good mid winter sport as well as being valuable in other ways.

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## Markets Want Well Finished Young Lambs

Lambs in the farm flock should be ready for market when about four months old, according to specialists of the United States department of agriculture. Reasons for pushing the lambs as fast as possible in order to market them at this early age are as follows:

Average market prices are higher in the spring and early summer.

Lambs will make more rapid and less expensive gains in flesh while young than when they are older.

Less labor and less pasture will be required for the flock.

Lambs marketed in the early part of the season escape the heat of the summer and the ravages of the stomach worm and other internal parasites. This is very important say the specialists, as it has been found that in most instances the weight of lambs remain practically at a standstill from mid-summer until fall. If they become infested with stomach worms as is usually the case in the farm flock they will lose weight during this period and a large number of the animals may die.

In order to produce lambs of desirable quality and weight for the market at this early age it is necessary to feed properly both the ewes and lambs. The ewes should be brought to the lambing season in good flesh so that a large milk flow is assured. It has been found that it is not essential to feed grain to ewes suckling lambs if they are on good pasture. If the pasture is short, however, or if the ewes are on dry feed the daily addition of 1 to 2 pounds of grain per head to their ration is advisable. The lambs should be taught to eat as early an age as possible. They will usually begin nibbling at feed, when they are from 10 to 15 days old. A creep should be prepared so that they can get away from the ewes and the best quality of alfalfa or clover hay should be kept before the lambs in this creep. They should also be given small amount of such feed as crushed corn, oats or barley with a little wheat bran and oil meal. It is important that the grain be clean and fresh and that the troughs are kept clean. After the lambs have learned to eat they should be given twice daily, as much grain as they will eat within a few minutes time.

If the general practices outlined above are followed by the farm flock owner it will be very easy for him to put lambs on the market at an early age with sufficient weight and condition to satisfy the buyers and to assure him of good returns.

## INGENUITY

It was one of those melodramas given by home talent and in the guardhouse scene a real, honest-to-goodness buck private was supposed to be drilled by a bullet while saving through the bars in an endeavor to gain his liberty. The gun unfortunately missed fire, but the buck, true to form dropped as if dead.

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## St. Ignatius' Church News

Last Sunday the services were resumed again, and it was a real inspiration for all present to worship God in the beauty of Holiness. The children's service and the Confirmation class was held in the afternoon.

The sermon in the morning concerned the story of Our Lord's temptation in the wilderness by the devil, and how He steadfastly resisted the increasingly hard temptations that were placed before Him by the Evil One. Because He had fasted and prayed for forty days and forty nights, He was able to resist all temptation, and finally rise to the climax by saying "Get thee behind Me, Satan." This temptation is the model for Christian people, and they also by prayer and fasting will likewise be able to overcome temptation. It is good that we should have a Lent every year and to give us the needed spiritual exercise necessary to overcome temptation. When we have angels will likewise come and minister to us.

On Friday evening of this week, at 7:30, there will be a service and sermon by the Rev. Howard E. Ganster of Christ Church, Waukegan. This is the first of the Lenten services that were planned, and a good attendance is expected. Mr. McTaggart will play.

On Saturday there will be no Holy Communion at 8:00, but at 5:00 in the afternoon the Children's Lenten Service and the Confirmation class, as Mr. Brock will not be able to have it on Sunday afternoon as usual. Those who were not present last Sunday please remember next Saturday and make a good start from that time on. The children who are present at every Lenten Service will receive a cross at Easter time, and all of the Confirmation Class will receive a little book called, "The Pilgrim's Path."

On Sunday next, there will be a celebration of the Holy Communion at 8:00 in the morning and again at 11:00, by the Rev. Herbert B. Gwyn, our new priest-in-charge from Libertyville. Church school at the regular time. Every communicant of the mission should make his communion at this time, as we have not had a celebration of the Holy Communion since last Christmas. Let us all be present to welcome our new priest-in-charge, and to give him an encouraging start. The music at the late celebration that day will be "The Holy Eucharist with Hymns."

"O be joyful in the Lord, all ye lands: serve the Lord with gladness, and come before his presence with a song."

## Methodist Episcopal Church News

Sunday School ..... 9:45  
Morning Service ..... 10:45  
Young People's meeting ..... 6:00  
Evening Service ..... 7:00

The services at the Methodist church will be as usual on next Sunday and the Rev. S. E. Pollock will again have charge of the services as the Rev. Mumford is confined to his home with a very violent case of tonsillitis.

## BRISTOL

F. O. Eddy, Kenosha, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Fox, called at the home of E. S. Fox Sunday.

Mr. Frank Gothen is laid up with flu and requires the services of the doctor.

Mrs. E. S. Fox returned home Sunday from a two weeks' engagement as nurse at the A. C. Hotel home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Fox attended the band concert at the Orpheum, Kenosha, Monday evening.

Frank Lavey is under the doctor's care.

The Help-U-Club met last Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Wesley Williams.

The Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday afternoon of this week with Mrs. Fox.

On Friday evening of next week the community will have an opportunity to hear Rev. Hargett of Racine give a word picture of the "Passion Play" as he saw it last summer and the impression it made on him. He is a very man and has gained distinction as a capable man and has gained distinction as a speaker, both on the platform and in the pulpit.

Word was received here Sunday morning of the death of K. K. Cass in the hospital in Chicago, where he had undergone an operation some three weeks ago. The remains will be brought here for burial. Mrs. Cass has been in very poor health this winter.

Ellsworth Fox and Arthur Laursen made a business trip to Madison Saturday last, but on the return trip they met with an accident a few miles from Burlington, when the car they were riding in was ditched by another car in the fog and damaged to such an extent they were unable to proceed with it. The boys, as well as the other occupants of the car, were very fortunate to escape with a few minor cuts and bruises.

Leroy Slocum of Rosecrans, Ill., called at the Kling-Gothen home Friday.



## Grandma Was Worried

When John brought home his girl bride from the city.

She was so pretty and wore such modish clothes that Grandma jumped to the conclusion that she would never fit in with their sphere of life.

Then it came Saturday, and when she donned her dainty apron she went into the kitchen and did the family baking in a workman-like manner with results that pleased the appetite, and Grandma admitted that her fears were unfounded.

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## "The Girl and the Case"

By Randall Parrish

### SYNOPSIS

**CHAPTER I.**—Answering an advertisement calling for a young man willing to engage in service of danger, Matthew West, ex-serviceman just returned from France, where he had been captain of engineers, meets Natalie Coolidge, writer of the advertisement, and without being introduced to her, and that same evening introduced to her friends as her fiancé.

**CHAPTER II.**—That night, in the Coolidge home, West is startled by the appearance of a young woman, Natalie, who he takes for a girl named Natalie, but who morning Natalie tells West she has been troubled by some woman, apparently her double, who has been impersonating her.

**CHAPTER III.**—Percival Coolidge, Natalie's uncle and guardian, apparently is disgruntled by West's appearance as Natalie's fiancé, and the feeling of antagonism is mutual. Natalie, Coolidge, and West plan a visit of charity to a poor and remote section of the city.

**CHAPTER IV.**—Leaving West in the car, Natalie and Coolidge enter a small cottage, remaining a length of time which causes him some uneasiness. Before they return, West secures information which leads him to believe Coolidge is deceiving Natalie, and has ulterior motives.

**CHAPTER V.**—On the party's return to the Coolidge home, Natalie informs West she has been mistaken in her suspicions concerning her "double," and that she has no further need for his services. West is astounded, but helpless. He leaves.

**CHAPTER VI.**—On his way out of the grounds, West hears a revolver shot, and investigates. He finds Percival Coolidge dead, apparently by a suicide. The inquiry so determines. In the city West is visited by Sexton, an old servant of the Coolidges. Sexton tells him he has been abruptly dismissed, for no apparent reason. He gives it as his belief that Coolidge was murdered, and about convinces West he is right.

**CHAPTER VII.**—Sexton has overheard a telephone conversation in the Coolidge home, in which a man demands Natalie's presence immediately. He gives an address, and with Sexton, West, his suspicions of things not being right strengthen. He goes to the address, and finds a cottage, visits the place. It is a disreputable saloon.

**CHAPTER VIII.**—West is taken by surprise, knocked out, separated from Sexton, and comes to his senses to find himself bound and helpless, and confronted by a man named Hobart, whom West knows to be the man who had rented the house where Natalie visited. The man tells him he (West) is interfering with his plans and if he persists will be done away with. West refuses any compromise. Hobart sends for Natalie, hoping she can induce West to give up his quest.

### CHAPTER IX

#### West Makes His Choice.

The girl neither answered, nor hesitated, but crossed the room swiftly, her hands seeking the hushings about his wrists. Her movement thrilled him, and his blood leaped at the soft touch of her fingers.

"Really, I did not realize you were tied into the chair," she exclaimed indignantly. "Hobart is a fool to do

such a thing. Why, what has caused him to become so frightened? Tell me, Captain West, how all this occurred?"

"You know nothing?"

"Only what has been said since I entered the room. Mike simply told me they had a man here who Hobart thought was a detective, and he wanted me to come in a moment. I came, and found you. Now, please, what does it all mean?"

She slipped back to her seat again, her eyes on his face, as he arose and stretched his limbs to restore circulation. To his quick glance her face expressed only sympathy, and innocent interest. Any doubt he may have felt as to the sincerity of the girl vanished instantly; whatever of crime was concocted here, she had no suspicion. He could tell her the whole story without fear.

"I'll try and explain, Miss Natalie," he began rather lamely, "although perhaps, you may not wholly understand the motives which have prompted me. This, of course, is really no business of

mine, and the only thing that has involved me is the deep interest I have felt in you."

"In me? Why, that is rather interesting. It was to serve me you came here?"

"At least I thought so. Shall I make it more definite? No doubt you are aware that you are an unusually pretty woman. Well, at least, I think so for one, and our first meeting, with its subsequent adventures, was romantic enough to make me out of a commonplace existence. In fact, I became quite deeply interested in you."

"Why, really, Captain," she interrupted, slightly puzzled, "I perhaps do not fully comprehend to what you refer. Do you mean there was something between us? Some special intimacy?"

"Oh, no; not that; probably no dream of what was occurring in your mind. Yet the circumstances of our meeting were peculiar; they rendered a very brief acquaintance into what promised to become a real friendship."

"How do you mean?"

"Surely you cannot have forgotten so soon," he explained in surprise at her attitude, smiling himself once more and facing her determinedly. "I came to you in response to a strange advertisement; you trusted me so completely as to introduce me to your friends as your fiancé, and later confided to me the special trouble you were in. I pledged you my assistance, and it was surely very natural that, under these circumstances, I as a young man, should have become rather deeply interested."

"In both the case and the girl."

"Yes; so much so, indeed, that even when I was rather harshly dismissed, I could not accept it without protest. I had grown to feel that this was not a mere business arrangement between us. Do you understand now?"

"I can see it from your standpoint. But nevertheless, I am surprised, Captain West. You—you mean you actually fell in love with me?"

"I felt a very, very deep interest in you," he admitted gravely, "a greater interest than I have ever felt in any other woman. That is my sole excuse for becoming involved in your affairs. I could not bear to see you make a mistake it might be in my power to prevent."

"What mistake?"

"Well, first of all, trusting in this man Hobart."

She laughed, her eyes glancing up quickly into his face.

"And why not, please? Remember your confession; I may think this only jealousy."

"You are not so silly as that," earnestly. "Moreover, I may as well be perfectly frank. I did confess an interest in you, and in a measure, I still feel eager to serve you in every possible way; but you have changed so greatly, Miss Natalie, that my confidence in you has been severely tried."

"You no longer believe?"

"I hardly know; I fall utterly to understand you of late; you seem an entirely different girl. For one thing, you have deliberately deceived me."

"Indeed! In what?"

"In your visit to Arch street with Percival Coolidge. That was no mission of charity to a poor widow and children."

"What then?"

"An arranged conference with this fellow Hobart. He rented that cottage for no other purpose, and left it the next day. You made a mistake when you took me along."

She straightened up slightly in the chair, yet spoke rather indifferently, her voice cold.

"No doubt I did," she said tersely. "Indeed I have already discovered, Captain West, that I made an even greater mistake when I first took you into my service. You have proven untrue to my service. Now I will be plain with you. Whatever need I once supposed I had for your services ended with the explanation I received in that Arch street cottage. I told you so very distinctly after our return home. You recall that interview, no doubt?"

"You were then and there dismissed from my service. That should have been sufficient. I knew nothing of your silly feeling of personal interest in me; nor did I realize any occasion for discussing with you the reasons causing me to change my plans. You were my employee, and I discharged you; that was all. It is true Percival Coolidge took me to that cottage to have certain mysterious things explained, and they were explained to my complete satisfaction."

"By Hobart?"

"Yes."

"You knew the fellow before?"

She hesitated slightly, although there was no perceptible change in the answering voice.

"For several years; he was in my father's employ; the whole trouble arose—"

"In a job, and—"

was quite amusing, once I understood. Of course, after that, I had no further need for you. Why did you persist in annoying me?"

West hesitated an instant, his mind struggling with the situation. Was she honest, truthful, in this statement? Could he say anything which would change her viewpoint? She must have been deceived by these men, yet how could he expose them so she would comprehend? He was so little certain of the facts himself, that he had nothing but suspicion to offer.

"Why do you not answer, Captain West?"

The girl's eyes were clear, insistent, a little amused; they somehow aroused his determination.

"I will endeavor to make you understand, Miss Natalie," he explained slowly. "I would not have you feel that I deliberately pushed myself into this affair. When I left Fairclawn after your dismissal, I had no thought of ever seeing you again. I have already told you the interest I had felt in you up to that time, but your abruptness during our last interview left me angry, and with no inclination to seek your presence again. You can scarcely blame me for such a feeling?"

"No," she confessed. "I—I was so excited and nervous—I was not very nice."

"You certainly hurt me. I departed with a sense of wrong ranking, and no desire to come back. But fate intervened. You knew, perhaps, that I overheard the shot which ended the life of Percival Coolidge; and I was the first to discover his dead body. I supposed it a case of suicide, and so bore witness at the inquest. The whole matter would have ended there; but the next day you discharged Sexton, also, and the man sought me out at the club."

"She leaned forward, her lips parted, a new light in her eyes."

"He told you something? He made you suspicious?" she asked breathlessly.

"He caused me to see the affair from a somewhat different point of view—a point of view which, I confess, revived my interest in you. I began to believe that I had been deceived, and your treatment of me arose through a misunderstanding; I thought you a victim, and that I would be a cad if I failed to stand by you. We put this and that together, carried out some investigations quietly, and arrived at a definite conclusion."

"What investigations?"

"In the field where the body was found first," West went on steadily, but no longer looking at her, "tracing the different tracks through the clover. Then I looked up that cottage in Arch street, and thus learned about Hobart. Somehow he seemed to fit into the picture, and your mysterious visit there made me anxious to interview the man. He had left no address, however, just faded out of sight suddenly, which increased suspicion. Then, when we were completely baffled, Sexton learned about your conversation over the telephone."

"How? Was he at the house?"

"Yes, he went out at my suggestion."

"And heard me repeat this number?"

"It makes no difference how he got the information; we knew you were coming here this afternoon, and jumped at the conclusion that you were going to meet Hobart for some reason."

"Very bright, I am sure," and there was a tone of relief in her voice. "And that is your whole story, I suppose? What does it amount to?"

"Not very much, perhaps."

"And the two of you came out here seeking to learn my business, to pry into my personal affairs. That was not a very gentlemanly act, Captain West, and I hardly see how you can justify yourself."

"I had two purposes," he insisted, "either of which justify. I felt it a duty to locate this man Hobart; and also to warn you of the danger you were in."

"Warn me?" she laughed scornfully. "That is ridiculous enough surely. I have a perfectly good reason for being here, but I am not accountable to you in any way for my movements. A duty you say—a duty to locate this man? A duty to whom?"

"To the state, if no one else," he answered gravely. "Percival Coolidge did not commit suicide; he was murdered."

"Murdered?" she came to her feet with utterance of the word. "You cannot think that!"

"I know it, Miss Natalie; the evidence is beyond question; he was murdered in cold blood."

"But by whom? For what purpose?"

"These points are not yet determined; I am only sure of the crime."

"Yes, but—but you suspect Jim Hobart. Isn't that true? You came here seeking him—yes, and me. You even think I know how this death occurred. You—you connect it with my fortune."

"No, Miss Natalie," he protested stoutly, moved by her agitation. "The cause is a mystery, and who did it is equally mysterious. The evidence thus far unearthed is all circumstantial."

"Then why did you come out here searching for Hobart?"

"Because of his strange meeting with Percival Coolidge the very day of his death; because his sudden disappearance furnished the only clue."

"And that is all the knowledge you possess, absolutely all?"

"Yes; I am no more than groping in the dark. My main object in coming was to put you on your guard."

"You have repeated these suspicious to no one else?"

"To no one. Only Sexton and I have even talked the matter over. We are both too loyal to you to ever say a word which might be to your injury."

She suddenly held out her hand, and he took it, conscious of the firm clasp of her fingers.

"I thank you, Captain West," she said sincerely, "and believe your purpose was honorable. You have told me frankly all you suspect, and doubtless you have reasons. You have simply made a mistake, that is all. Percival Coolidge was not murdered; he killed himself because he had muddled my affairs, and knew he was about to be discovered. You have got upon a wrong trail. Will you accept my word for this, and drop the whole matter here?"

West was almost convinced, but not quite; the explanation had not been sufficiently explicit.

"This man Hobart—who is he? What connection does he have with your affairs?"

She hesitated slightly, yet her eyes did not fall, or her apparent cordiality change.

"Mr. Hobart," she explained, "I have known for years. I told you before he was once in my father's employ. Now he is a private detective, and was employed on my case, before I advertised for you. I thought then he was not accomplishing anything, but at our interview Sunday, all was cleared up."

"In the presence of Percival Coolidge?"

"Yes; he was given a week in which to straighten matters. That is why he killed himself."

"But why is it necessary for you to meet Hobart in a place like this—a veritable thieves' den?"

She shrugged her shoulders, releasing his hand.

"He has not completed his work, and does not think it best for us to be seen together. I know him so well I am not at all afraid, even here. Is that all, Captain West?"

"It seems to explain everything," he admitted, yet far from satisfied.

"And you will drop the whole affair?" she asked anxiously.

"If I say yes—what?"

"You will be released from here, of course, and the whole misunderstanding forgotten."

"And otherwise?"

"I have no means of knowing what the men intend to do. They will accept your pledge. I am sure."

"Possibly, but I am not so sure I will consent to give such a pledge."

"Then you do not accept my word; do not believe what I have told you?"

"Not that exactly, Miss Natalie; I could have faith in your word, except that I believe you to be mistaken, deceived. Hobart is not square; he is using you for his own ends. Under these conditions, I would be a coward to give such a promise, and leave you helpless in this man's power."

"You intend then to refuse?"

"I do; I'll fight it out."

"I thank you, Captain West," she said sincerely, "and believe your purpose was honorable. You have told me frankly all you suspect, and doubtless you have reasons. You have simply made a mistake, that is all. Percival Coolidge was not murdered; he killed himself because he had muddled my affairs, and knew he was about to be discovered. You have got upon a wrong trail. Will you accept my word for this, and drop the whole matter here?"

West was almost convinced, but not quite; the explanation had not been sufficiently explicit.

"This man Hobart—who is he? What connection does he have with your affairs?"

She hesitated slightly, yet her eyes did not fall, or her apparent cordiality change.

"Mr. Hobart," she explained, "I have known for years. I told you before he was once in my father's employ. Now he is a private detective, and was employed on my case, before I advertised for you. I thought then he was not accomplishing anything, but at our interview Sunday, all was cleared up."

"In the presence of Percival Coolidge?"

"Yes; he was given a week in which to straighten matters. That is why he killed himself."

"But why is it necessary for you to meet Hobart in a place like this—a veritable thieves' den?"

She shrugged her shoulders, releasing his hand.

"He has not completed his work, and does not think it best for us to be seen together. I know him so well I am not at all afraid, even here. Is that all, Captain West?"

"It seems to explain everything," he admitted, yet far from satisfied.

"And you will drop the whole affair?" she asked anxiously.

"If I say yes—what?"

"You will be released from here, of course, and the whole misunderstanding forgotten."

"And otherwise?"

"I have no means of knowing what the men intend to do. They will accept your pledge. I am sure."

"Possibly, but I am not so sure I will consent to give such a pledge."

"Then you do not accept my word; do not believe what I have told you?"

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(TO BE CONTINUED.)

## Thomas Meighan at the Majestic on Saturday

Faith is a tremendous factor in promoting the success of men in all walks of life, according to Thomas Meighan, star in "If You Believe It, It's So," his new picture which Manager Johnson of the Majestic theatre announces he has just booked for early presentation here. His theory is that if you believe a thing firmly, it must be so.

"We believe in this story from the very start," said Mr. Meighan. "There is nothing like confidence in a thing to make it come out right. If you believe a thing firmly enough it will very likely be a fact before you're through believing in it and in a way that's the theme of the picture. After all, the big things that take place in the world all have a mental origin and, because somebody believed in them sufficiently, they were realized. If somebody hadn't believed that motion pictures were a possibility, there would not be any such thing. Things don't happen—they're developed through consistent effort based on conviction. Every great discovery and every great world movement comes about in just this way."

"So I feel that I am willing to bank on my statement that this picture will be one of the best in which I have ever appeared. Paramount believes in it, and to prove it gave me a supporting cast that couldn't be beaten. Just consider the list. Pauline Stark is leading woman; Joseph Dowling was 'The Miracle Man' in the picture which proved enormously popular; Theodor Roberts, one of the greatest actors in the profession; Charles Ogle, another fine character actor; Charles French, Tom Kennedy, E. J. Brady and Lura Annson, who could you find a finer line-up? Tom Forman directed the picture, discussed it with me over and over again. We developed every point to its last possible degree. And we can't see where there is a loophole for doubt."

Mr. Meighan will be seen in "If You Believe It, It's So," at the Majestic Theatre next Saturday.

### DANTE, PLEASE NOTE

"My idea of Hades," writes a motorist, "is a continual detour through a mire, with a good road in full view the other side of the fence."

## West Newport School News

**HILDRETH WESTMAN, Editor**  
At noon we spend most of our time playing prisoners' base.

Harold Slocum has returned to school after staying home all winter. Walter Rompasky has quit school.

We have finished the covers of our geometry booklets.

We are writing our exams this week.

We go out in the fields and study trees on Friday afternoons.

Paulino Pullon and Shirley Hollenbeck visited school Thursday.

Hubert White has purchased a new car.

A baby boy arrived at the home of Alfred Petersen Wednesday, Feb. 28. Clara Christenson visited school Friday.

The first and second grades are making decorations for Easter.

The dredging machine is working on the drainage ditch not far from the school house.

**Oakland School**  
**ELSIE COX, Editor**

Helen Martin is back to school after a few days of vacation.

All the grades except the seventh and eighth grades had their half holiday Friday.

We are now writing examinations. Those in the fifth and sixth grades receiving 100 per cent in arithmetic were, Dorothy Hughes, Robert Sheehan and Eugene Sheehan.

Mrs. Thomas McCann is spending a few days in Chicago.

Robert Hughes had a birthday party Saturday afternoon, March 3. About 20 children were present. All had a very nice time and enjoyed the cake and ice cream.

Those who were perfect in attendance in school for this month are: Emil Hallways, Myrtle Nelson, Louis Kline, Theodore Vander Spoel, Hazel Andersen, Eugene Sheehan, Gorman Anderson, Robert Sheehan, Harold Golden, Robert Hughes, Raymond Golden, Gilbert Vander Spoel, Stella Sheehan, Dorothy Hughes, Louis Ruschewski, Hazel Sheehan, Ruth Nelson, Minnie Ruschewski, Dick Vander Spoel, Esther Andersen, Dorothy Nelson, Dorothy Jarling and Dorothy Hughes.

Elmer Sheehan is still absent from school.

William Hartzheim visited G. Andersen Sunday.

Sunday Bob Tanner visited Golden's.

The fifth and sixth grades mailed their letters Monday for their language examination.

**PRIMARY ELECTION**  
Village of Antioch

Notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 13th day of March, A. D. 1923, at the Village Hall, in the said Village of Antioch, a primary election will be held for the nomination of candidates for the following offices, to-wit:

President.  
Three Trustees.  
Village Treasurer.

The political parties entitled to participate in said primary election are as follows:

Peoples Party.  
The polls of said election will be open from six o'clock in the forenoon and continue open until five o'clock in the afternoon.

Dated at the Village of Antioch this 26th day of February, A. D. 1923.  
HARRY A. ISAACS,  
Village Clerk.

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## Pikeville News

Ellsworth Fox and Arthur Laursen spent Saturday at Madison, Wis.

Miss Martha Buck spent Saturday in Kenosha.

Mrs. Ed. Fox has returned to her home after spending the past two weeks at Bristol.

Frank Wilton has moved on his farm at Bean Hill.

Mrs. Louis Pofahl is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe White entertained the Jolly Card Club Wednesday evening. Prizes were awarded to Fred Paasch, Mrs. E. Fields, Asher Crittendon and Lois Laursen.

Thirteen people attended church at Hosmer Sunday afternoon.

Mr. T. E. Haddican and son Will spent Sunday afternoon in Kenosha.

Miss Hazel Pofahl of Kenosha spent the week end at her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pofahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fields, Mrs. Arthur Laursen, Fred Paasch, Will Haddican attended an old time dance in Kenosha Saturday evening.

Mrs. Ellsworth Fox spent the week end at Antioch with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Laursen.

### NOTICE

I wish to announce to the voters of the township of Antioch that I will be a candidate for reelection to



## News Briefs of Local Interest to Community

A jury composed of ten women and two men in the municipal court in Racine last Thursday evening returned a verdict of \$750 for the F. G. Klein Co., in their suit for \$1500 against the Ajax Rubber Co. of Racine.

At a hearing in the county court on Tuesday of last week on the sewerage matter of the village of McHenry County Judge Chas. P. Barnes entered a judgment of confirmation of the assessment roll as had previously been modified under the direction of the attorneys for the petitioners.

McHenry is to be given that long wished for community high school building. This decision was reached by the McHenry community high school board at a meeting of that body held on Tuesday evening of last week.

Why do the Eskimos never suffer from colds? The fact is that the Eskimo believes in having plenty of fresh air about his body, and makes a point of wearing the loosest garments imaginable and no tight-fitting underclothing.

The town of Area was filled with excitement last week when Village Marshall John Dietz arrested three men, who apparently were full of fire water. The men arrested were Win. Eddy, the village barber, and Fred Carney and Robert Nichols. They were taken before Justice Lytell H. Morris in Libertyville and fined \$20 and costs each on charges of disorderly conduct.

Brennan & Bousnell and Geo. R. Wade were the low bidders for the two pieces of concrete road to be built by Kenosha county during the coming season, when bids for the roads were opened by the county highway commission on Saturday.

Brennan & Bousnell will construct the mile and three-quarters of concrete road leading from the Wilmet road, along the Antioch road to the state line. The Antioch road work was \$41,175.70 just \$6.50 lower than the bid of George R. Wade for the

same work. There is a penalty clause to both contracts. The Antioch road work is to be completed by August 15.

This week Vogler-Schillo Company opened their books for contracting with the pickle growers of this locality for the 1923 season, which the company anticipates to be the most successful in its history. This year receiving stations will be operated in Richmond, Spring Grove, Belden, Ringwood, Hebron, Geneva Junction, Wheatland, Waterford, Lyons, Trevor and Mukwonago. The Mukwonago plant is the latest addition and is being erected at the present time, leases having been negotiated with the Soo Line railroad company. The new station will be equipped with 20 large tanks, with a capacity of approximately 10,000 bushels.

Truck operators who take loads of more than four tons over the unpaved sections of roads in five neighboring counties during spring months will be subject to arrest and heavy fine, according to announcement made by highway officials last week. County officials are also urging a revision of the state license law in order to make weight and miles of travel the basis for taxing freight vehicles on all roads.

The drastic restriction of truck traffic on roads where heavy loads may cause costly damage resulted from a joint conference of highway officials in Wheaton. The counties represented include: Will, Kendall, Kane, Lake and Du Page.

Protection of gravel and other secondary road surfaces, which make up a large mileage of township highway system, is promised by the newly organized federation. Restriction will be in force during the entire season when frost is leaving the ground, and notices will be posted on all highways under the ban.

### WHY GOOD QUALITY IN SIRE IS SO IMPORTANT

Although the sire and dam contribute equally to the heredity of an animal, the influence of the sire in a herd or flock is much greater than any one of the females because in practically all cases a sire is the parent of a much larger number of offspring than the dam.

Figures kept by the United States department of agriculture, representing the proportion of males to females on more than 3,900 farms in 46 states, show that the male has from 13 to 39 times more influence than the female, among all classes of animals, in determining the character of the offspring.

These ratios are based on more than a million head of breeding stock listed with the department in the "Better Sires—Better Stock."

The figures show that on the average farm where pure-bred sires only are kept, there is one bull to 18 cows, one stallion to nearly 20 mares, one boar to 13 sows, one ram to nearly 30 ewes, one buck to 25 does, and one rooster to 21 hens. These figures show not only the economy of beginning improvement in animal breeding with the use of pure-bred sires.

The history of the nation-wide movement for better livestock shows, however, that the use of pure-bred females quickly follows the use of pure-bred males. More than one-third of the female livestock and more than two-thirds of the female poultry listed in the better-sires campaign are themselves pure-breds. This promises much more rapid improvement in the quality of the country's livestock than if pure-bred sires alone were used.

Free—10 pairs \$1.50 Silk Hosiery—Free. Given away Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. For particulars see hosiery display in window at Chicago Footwear Co.

## NEW YORK PRIZE BABY



This is Charles O'Donnell, Jr., ten months old, who was picked out at the annual health show as New York's perfect baby. Some of Charles' measurements are: weight, 21 pounds; height, 28 1/2 inches; chest, 20 1/2 inches; abdomen, 10 inches; thigh, 12 1/2; calf, 9 inches and ankle, 6 1/2 inches.

## Overpaid Taxes To Be Returned Says Tiffany

Lake county's income tax worries have their bright spots with an added gleam lent by the announcement that there is further balm in store for several of the tax payers.

While the first installment of the come tax is due March 15, preparations are being made to refund overpaid taxes of Lake county residents who have overestimated their obligations.

Tax refunds are expected to go to scores in the county. It is reported that the national refund will amount to more than \$90,000,000. Return of the money will be made as soon as the tax refund appropriation bill goes through the senate.

Albert Tiffany, deputy collector, declared that his refunds thus far have ranged from a few cents to thousands of dollars. The larger amounts come to large corporations which often with their array of experts are not free of income mistakes.

In one instance a woman employee of the postal department in the county was refunded her tax of 4 percent on her salary of \$1,000. She made her return at a bank and had paid the money despite the fact that an exemption of \$1,000 had made her free from the tax.

A business man was recently refunded \$6 as part of his tax found to have been collected twice but not recorded until after the second payment had been made.

In many of the instances the refunds come on exemptions when government experts find that tax has been paid where exemptions are allowed.

## CORPUS CHRISTI SEA BREEZE COOLEST ON TEXAS COAST

The sea breeze at Corpus Christi, Tex., attains unusually high velocities. It has been found by the representative of the weather bureau, United States department of agriculture, at that point. In marked contrast to some of the southern sea coasts, where stagnant conditions are frequent, at Corpus Christi the breeze becomes a fresh, strong southeasterly wind in the afternoon, blowing 20 to 30 miles or more an hour, and sometimes continuing all night. Debilitating calms are relatively few on the Corpus Christi coast, while the high wind movement prevents the dampness and sultriness so dreaded in other subtropical regions.

The cause of this unusual sea breeze, which is the swiftest and steadiest on the Texas coast is explained by the weather bureau as due to the topography of the hinterland of Corpus Christi and the contour of the coast line at this point. Barron plains, devoid of marshes, rise gradually behind Corpus Christi bay, extending inland for 30 miles. The curve in the coast line at Corpus Christi allows the predominating southeasterly wind to strike the shore at such an angle that it meets with virtually no resistance from a land surface before reaching the coast. It therefore comes over Corpus Christi with practically the same velocity it has on the open ocean. The heated air of the plain back of Corpus Christi tends continually to rise, and the cooler sea air flowing creates a continuous breeze. Although the increased sea breeze causes a diminution in the rainfall, it has its compensating features in the fact that a more comfortable climate is created.

## THE FRAGILE SEX

Cassey: "Kelly wants me to tell you he couldn't be down to work today as the mules is sick."

Forbman: "An' what's after behind the trouble with her?"

Cassey: "Ah, the poor girl. She broke two fingers wallopin' Kelly."

## Channel Lake School

ELMER RUDOLPH, Editor

It is not very safe to venture outside the door unless one has on rubber boots because of the clay and black mud in the school yard. Every one in school will surely be glad when the yard becomes dry again.

The seventh and eighth grades have learned to draw a map of Lake county, locating the towns, cities, villages, rivers, creeks, lakes and railroads.

Mildred Garwood was absent last week an account of illness.

The eighth grade have learned to conjugate verbs in the six tenses, active and passive voice.

Alta Willett returned to school Monday. She has been in Florida with her parents since last October.

Mr. and Mrs. Roberts were called to Chicago by the illness of Mrs. Robert's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox gave a party Saturday night. Cards were played, later refreshments were served.

Mr. Edmund Garwood has purchased a Ford touring car.

Mr. Sam Garwood and wife were visitors at the Garwood home three days last week.

## TEACHERS MEET AT LAKE FOREST AND LAKE BLUFF

The mid-year meeting of the teachers of the county will be held on Thursday and Friday, March 8 and 9, at Lake Forest and Lake Bluff. An excellent program has been arranged for both days and the teachers of the county can look forward to two days of profitable enjoyment. In the years that are past these meetings have been arranged with special care and thought to make them worth while to the teaching force of the county; the best speakers available have been secured and the indications are that this year's meeting will equal those of the past.

The speakers for this year are: Dr. R. L. Lyman, the head of the Department of Public Speaking of the University of Chicago; Dr. F. Dean McCluskey, president of the Visual Educational Association of Illinois and one of the teachers in the College of Education in the University of Illinois; Dr. Samuel Watson, rector of the Episcopal church at Glenview; Prof. John A. Scott of Northwestern University; and Mr. William L. Finley, a California naturalist.

## TRACTOR MUST SHOW RESULTS TO BE PROFITABLE ON FARM

If the tractor is to be profitable on the farm, says the United States department of agriculture, it should make possible the accomplishment of at least one of the following things: A reduction of the number of work stock on the farm; a reduction of the amount of hired help required; the turning of an increased acreage; or an increase in the amount of crops produced.

With the addition of a tractor to the farm equipment there will necessarily be some changes in the methods of operating the farm, and perhaps a reorganization of the type of farming will be possible. Some surveys of a number of farms have been made by the department and show what changes take place on the average farm under tractor conditions. Farmers' Bulletin 1295, "Changes effected by Tractors on Corn-Belt Farms," has just been issued. With the information set forth in this bulletin, the man who is trying to decide whether to buy a machine will be enabled to determine approximately what influence the tractor may have on his farm, and the man who already owns one will be able to compare the results which he has obtained with those obtained by others.

## Teaching Care of Milk in Schools

Methods of producing and handling milk so that it will be clean may be taught in schools, as well as other features of farm practice. For the benefit of teachers in farm communities, the United States department of agriculture has a bulletin on the use of Farmers' Bulletin 602, "Production of Clean Milk," as a textbook.

Topics of study in connection with it are the reasons why cleanliness is important; first, to the consumer, because of its effect on the wholesomeness of milk as food; and second, the producer, because of its influence on the financial value of milk; bacteria and their effect on milk; health of cattle and human handlers of milk; disposal of waste; how to combat flies; style and care of dairy utensils; stable and milk houses; the process of milking; and subsequent care of the milk. As a preliminary to the lessons, a survey of conditions in the locality is advised, and suggestions for it are offered. Geography and arithmetic are studied in their bearing upon the dairy business; and written work on the subject can be used as language study. The bulletin which gives suggestions on teaching the subject is Department Circular 67.

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## Grass Lake School

LOUIS FORENICH, Editor  
The Story of an Old Resident

Mrs. Loof has been a resident of this locality for 55 years, coming here with her husband in 1868. Their first work was to clear the land and get it ready for a crop. Tools which would have made their work much easier were not to be had. They dug the earth away from the trees with their hands so to chop off the roots that would hinder in the cultivation of the crop. They arose at 3:30 a. m. and went to work until 6 a. m., then had breakfast after which they worked to 12. The long day ended late in the evening.

She told me that one morning Mr. Loof went hunting on Grass Lake and in a couple of hours shot 25 ducks and geese. Grass Lake at this time was not so grown up and the game birds were not so wild, as few people molested them.

To obtain all the rabbits necessary for eating was a simple matter as neither guns or traps were necessary. It was a simple matter to get them with a club. One morning as Mrs. Loof was walking around the yard she was startled by a whirling of wings and a big flock of prairie chickens flew up almost from under her feet.

Much of their hay they carried from the slough by means of two poles with shorter sticks laid crosswise. On these the hay was loaded, and they in this way obtained food for their stock.

Among their valued possessions are an old German clock and a watch. The watch Mr. Loof made little use of as he could tell time by looking at the sun.

Mrs. Loof has lived to see many changes. She looks back and thinks of the many hardships they endured, but in spite of all they enjoyed many happy days, as they finally were all together then.

## PERSUASION NEEDED

"Do you stand back of every statement made in your newspaper?" asked the little man.

"Why—er—yes," answered the country editor.

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## THE WORD WANTED

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# Lake Villa News

Mr. and Mrs. James Atwell spent last Wednesday and Thursday with the Glasser family at Maywood.

Misses Ruby Falch and Alice Goldy were Chicago shoppers last Saturday. Mrs. Avery entertained the Bunco Club last Thursday afternoon at her home.

Mrs. Gooding visited Mrs. Thayer at the Mary Thompson hospital in Chicago on Sunday. She is doing nicely and expects to come home next week.

F. M. Hamlin was in Chicago on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Plotz are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son at the Waukegan hospital one day last week.

Mrs. Martin has returned to Alton after spending January and February with Chicago relatives. She was forced to forgo her Canada trip because of ill health.

Some changes will take place in the farms south of town this month as Harold Hucker will move to Grayslake and Norman Burnett to Waukegan. Mr. Duncan from near Gurnee will move to the Hucker farm and H. Spoel will run the Burnett farm. They all have our hearty good wishes for success.

Mr. and Mrs. Cannon and Mrs. Keen transacted business at the county seat last Thursday.

The Royal Neighbors had an enthusiastic meeting last Tuesday and adopted a class of eight to the order. Picnic dinner was served at noon, and it was a banquet.

Fred Hamlin is doing jury duty in Waukegan this week.

Daisy Ehrenberg is ill with scarlet fever, our first case this year, and the home is quarantined, so we hope there will be no spread.

Mr. and Mrs. Bartlett and nephew spent the first of last week in Chicago.

## HICKORY

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pedersen are rejoicing over the arrival of a son at their home Wednesday, Feb. 25th.

Pauline Pullen and Shirley Hellenbeck visited West Newport school on Thursday. Carrie Christensen, teacher.

No school on Thursday and Friday on account of Miss Dron's illness.

Mrs. O. L. Hellenbeck and Shirley were guests at the A. T. Savage home Friday.

Mrs. Chris Van Patten spent Wednesday and Thursday in Chicago.

David Pullen and Austin Savage attended the milk meeting at Wilmot Monday night.

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I am holding my 4th annual Pure Bred Sow Sale at Burlington, March 15th, 1923. In this sale I am offering 3 aged sows, 18 fall gilts and 24 spring gilts. This offering of sows are sired by "Royal Standard Pathfinder," and "Wonder's Giant King" and are bred to "Sensation Winner" and "Wonder Giant King." These are two of the best known boars throughout the state and are wonderful breeding boars. These sows will be run into a sale ring and you can buy them at your own price. I have been very successful in selling bred sows and have never had a complaint. They have always made money for the purchaser.

This sale will begin at 1:30 o'clock in the heated Chevrolet Garage at Burlington, Wis.

Sunny Hillside Stock Farm—Wm. G. Voss

## Trevor Happenings

Miss Elizabeth Nutz is spending some time in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Forster attended the funeral of Mrs. Shultz of Salem at Wilmot Lutheran church on Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Hasselman of Silver Lake attended the burial of Mr. Wm. Van Osdal at Trevor on Wednesday.

Mr. Solay returned Tuesday after a two weeks' stay in a Kenosha hospital for treatment for diphtheria.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bushing of Chicago came Wednesday to Mrs. Bushing's parents for an indefinite stay as Arthur is in poor health.

Mrs. Sweet of Kenosha was entertained by Mrs. Maggie Parks over the week end.

Mr. John Maltz, Sr., and son Ed made a business trip to Kenosha Wednesday morning.

Wilson and Clarence Runyard are quite sick with the flu.

Miss Daisy Mickle remained home from Chicago on Monday on account of a severe cold.

Miss Vyvan spent the week end with the home folks at Yorkville.

Mr. Elmer Anderson of Racine was entertained at the Dan Longman place on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Forster entertained friends from Forest Park the last of the week.

## WILMOT

Richter's Wranglers added another victory to its list when they defeated the fast legion five of Grayslake 31-16. The Wranglers took an early lead, scoring eight points before the visitors could get under way. At the end of the half Wilmot was in the lead 22-4. The Grayslakers found their stride in the third quarter and ran up 10 points, mostly on the long shots and free throws of Pesty, the large center.

Richter and Adams were high scorers for the locals, Richter getting 16 points and "Devo" 15.

A preliminary game was played between the Jermans Five of Kenosha and the local high school team. The high school team easily won though they were absent of their two regular guards. The score was 25-6. The game was started late due to the bad road conditions.

The Wilmot Cemetery Helpers will meet at the home of Mrs. S. Jedele at 2 o'clock on Saturday afternoon to plan for the Country Store they are to give on Thursday, April 5th. All members of the organization are requested to be present at the meetings. Raymond Rudolph is now a salesman for the Salem Auto Co.

James Owen was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. DeLong of Racine several days the latter part of the week.

James Carey was in Milwaukee on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Sutcliffe were in Chicago over the week end.

Miss Touhy left for Chicago Sunday where she has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Smith were out Sunday from Kenosha for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. A. Smith.

Dorothy Carlen was home over Sunday.

Miss Ray was called to Milwaukee Saturday by the serious illness of her brother.

Guests of Miss Porter over the week end were her mother, Mrs. J. A. Porter of Madison and F. H. Cirves of Chicago.

Loretta Pencock has been ill with mumps the past week.

Mrs. Knudson and daughter were in Chicago for a short visit with Leslie Knudson the latter part of the week.

Mrs. Lentz of Bassetts was a guest at the Nett home one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sheldis and children spent Friday in Kenosha.

There will be English services at the Ev. Lutheran church Sunday evening at 7:30.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Deckley and Dorothy returned from a short visit at Kankakee last week.

Mrs. S. Jedele, Rhoda and Norman Jedele were in Kenosha Saturday.

Miss L. Jamison spent the week end in Chicago. Miss Jamison attended a performance of "Sally" Saturday.

James Carey was in Chicago Friday.

Mrs. Fred Duffy and children left for Caddis, Ohio, last week where they will join Mr. Duffy. Mr. Duffy has a position as an engineer at a coal mine in Caddis.

Marie Mattern was home from Somers over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lake announced the birth of a daughter, Josephine, born March 1st. Mrs. Lake is recovering from an attack of pneumonia and is much better this week.

Grace Carey was in Chicago Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Sanborn of Spring Grove were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. Faulkner on Sunday.

Arthur Pankala was severely hurt when he accidentally cut his left leg

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with an axe Monday afternoon, severing an artery.

Paul Romey of Burlington spent a day with his parents at Wilmot last week.

The Holy Name Choir met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Schenning of Silver Lake for practice Monday night.

W. F. Schilling of Northfield, Minn., and J. Heffernan of Stanton, Minn., spent the week at the A. C. Sixten home.

A humorous entertainment in four act, entitled, "Which One Shall I Marry," is to be given by the young people of the community very soon.

The play is one of the very latest and has been a big professional success. Every part is clear cut and worth while. The dialogue and speeches are well written and the plot while dramatic, is full of real fun. The play has a universal appeal with many beautiful touches of exalted sentiment.

The cast of characters has been chosen and the first rehearsal will take place next Friday. The personnel of the cast has not yet been made public.

The play will be staged under the able direction of Principal R. S. Hlenfeldt.

Walter Carey and daughters Ermine and Blanche were in Chicago on Wednesday.

**U. F. H. School Notes**

Editors—Edna Brinkman and Aileen Kemler.

Helen Reynolds has returned to school after some weeks of absence due to illness.

Miss Ray spent the week end in Milwaukee with her sisters Olive and Ethel and her brother Ray, who are students at the Milwaukee Normal.

Edith Edgar of Antioch visited school Friday.

Charles Krahn has returned after an absence due to illness.

Heard in biology class: Miss Ray—Stanley, tell us about whooping cough.

Stanley S.—I dunno, I haven't got it.

A number of the students attended a movie entitled Lorna Doone, given at the Burlington Orpheum recently.

Ruth Curtiss spent Saturday in Kenosha.

The junior and senior agricultural class attended a tuberculosis demonstration at Woodstock Thursday.

Miss Jamison spent the week end in Chicago.

Miss Porter's mother spent the week end with her and visited school on Monday.

Peggy Stoxen was in Hickory over the week end.

The seniors have received their class rings.

The sophomore agriculture checked up on their project work for the coming year.

Preparations are being made for the oratorical contest, which is to be held on April 10th.

Band practice was held on Wednesday of last week instead of Monday due to the infection to one of Mr. Wright's arms and preventing his attendance.

Mrs. Durkee, principal of the grade school, has again recovered the use of her voice.

Olen Duffy has withdrawn from school.

The Sutcliffe children have entered school. John is in second grade and Grace in eighth.

Melvin Lake has returned after an illness of two weeks with flu.

FOR SALE—Farm of about 60 acres, on east side of Grass Lake, new buildings, new silo, young orchard and small fruit. Inquire at News office. 27w1

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Lexington car, 6-cyl. Continental motor, wicker top in good condition, good paint and tires; also Studebaker, 4-cyl., 7 passenger, in good shape, and looks good; Ford Touring car in good running order, and looks good; will sell these cars cheap for cash, or will trade any or all of them for horses, cattle or brood sows. L. J. Slocum, Wadsworth, Ill. 26w2

FOR RENT—Good store space, located on Main street in village of Antioch. Mrs. Anna Klebe. 27w1

FOR SALE—About 40 bushels good wheat. C. H. Griffin, Antioch, Phone 117-M. 27w1

FOR RENT—Pasture for thirty head of cattle. T. R. Wilton, Antioch, Farmers line phone. 27w8

FOR SALE—Steel gasoline tank, with faucet.

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**MANY CHANGES IN ARCTIC INTEREST. WEATHER BUREAU**

The Arctic seems to be warming up. Reports from fishermen, seal hunters, and explorers who sail the seas about Spitzbergen and the eastern Arctic all point to a radical change in climate conditions, and hitherto unheard of high temperatures in that part of the earth's surface. The weather bureau of the United States department of agriculture is interested in the report made on this point by the American consul at Bergen, Norway, as conditions in the Arctic affect weather phenomena all over the earth. Arctic ice conditions are said to be exceptional in this particular region. Never before has so little ice been noted. One oceanographic expedition sailed as far north as 81 degrees, 29 latitude in ice-free waters. The Gulf stream, was traced as a warm surface current beyond the eighty-first parallel. The warmth of the waters make it probable that the favorable ice conditions will continue for some time.

Many old landmarks are so changed as to be unrecognizable. Where formerly great masses of ice were found there are now often moraines, accumulations of earth and stones. At many points where glaciers formerly extended far into the sea they have entirely disappeared. The change in temperature has also brought great changes in the flora and fauna of this portion of the Arctic. Former great shoals of white fish have disappeared from Spitzbergen waters and the seal catch is far under the average. Herring and smelt, however, have come in great numbers.

In contrast with the mild Arctic conditions in the vicinity of Spitzbergen, present advices seem to indicate an excess of ice accumulations in the Arctic north of Alaska and North America.

**Mr. Daugherty, Please Note**

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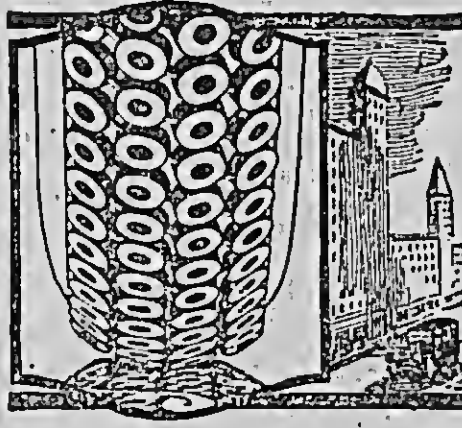
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